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Pertinent Topics Discussed by H.C.

Everyone knows this country is over-governed but no one appears to take action to reduce. Premier Hepburn of Ontario has, however, made proposals that may now bring results for nearly all the governments are of one political faith. He urges a federal-provincial accord under which certain department may be blended into one. There is a Labor department at Ottawa, and several provinces have Labor departments each with a Minister, and a fully equipped staff of deputies, assistants, clerks and inspectors. These were installed as a tribute to Labor, enabling the party then in power to show Labor that it was sympathetic to the working man. The same applies to agriculture, trade, public health, public welfare, and other branches of the civil service. All these overlapping agencies could be dispensed with, and no loss accrue to the public service, but rather gain.

It is not the fault of any present government that duplication and overlapping abound. Like the tear in D'Arcy McGee's poem, they found it waiting when they got here. They are to blame only if they do nothing to wipe it out. As we have already said it was introduced merely to show farmers and Labor Unions that the government was intensely interested in their welfare. It was good election stuff—an excellent talking point. Governments used to boast of the amount of money they were spending in these services. The amount they spent was the measure of their sympathy and interest. If they spent more than a previous administration that showed a greater interest in the cause of agriculture and labor. If any one questioned it all they had to do was to quote figures. Where there is so much duplication there must also be conflict as to duties and jurisdictions.

Provincial governments would, we labor and increasing pay, without think, be willing to surrender their rights to deal with labor. It will save them money and anyway it is a question that can not be handled properly by the provinces. One province cannot establish codes reducing the hours of crimping against its own employers of labor, if completing provinces do not enact similar codes. In Ontario, regional codes were put into effect in some industries and the result is that Quebec manufacturers with longer hours and shorter pay are outbidding them in their own home market.

Denying the report that, if successful, the Spanish rebels would give Majorca to Italy as a naval base, Mussolini says he would have little use for them if they gave away any Spanish territory. How he must despise the Ethiopians!

Prof. Wrong thinks we ought to get into the habit of calling it the Kingdom of Canada. We do not suppose King would object.

The manager of Reuter's News Agency believes that a free press all over the world would ensure world

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Berrywater

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mensinger, Jr., and Mrs. L. A. Douglass were visitors to Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hooton, accompanied by Mr. Russell Cunningham of Nanton, were visitors to the Berrywater district on Monday and Tuesday.

The Berrywater Christmas concert will be held on December 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Douglass were Herronton visitors over the week end. The object of this visit was to wind up the shooting season with some of Mr. Douglass' friends.

Mr. Hans Duns is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McRoberts and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Douglass. Mr. Duns is on his way to B.C. where he will reside in future.

The Hearnleigh beef-ring meeting was held on Tuesday at Mr. Donald Sinclair's farm. The members reported a good season and have organized to continue in 1937.

Reclamation Sub-station Urged For Vulcan Area

Rehabilitation Association Officer Urges Water Conservation Projects In This District

About seventy-five interested farmers and townspeople were in attendance at the Memorial hall last Thursday evening to hear John Vallance, senior officer of the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Association. The meeting was sponsored by the Vulcan Board of Trade and Pete McAskile, acting president of that organization, was chairman.

Mr. Vallance was introduced to the meeting by H. N. Caven, district field representative of the Association. In his opening remarks, Mr. Vallance pointed out that Alberta farmers were not receiving as much aid from the P. F. R. A. as the farmers of other provinces, due chiefly to the fact that the topography of this province is not so well adapted to this work. He maintained, however, that the farmers themselves were not availing themselves of the offers made under the rehabilitation scheme.

Eight million acres of land in Alberta have been abandoned due to lack of water, said the speaker. Two million acres of this land is in the Goose Lake area and it is hoped, through reclamation projects, to rehabilitate a percentage of this area.

The Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Association was created under the Conservative regime, said Mr. Vallance, and had not received as much publicity as it warranted owing to the number of applications being received and the inadequacy of the staff. \$4,750,000 have been set aside by the Government to be spent on small reclamation projects, 1150 projects, 468 in Saskatchewan, 471 in Manitoba and 175 in Alberta, have been completed to date. At the present time 1500 projects in the three prairie provinces are under consideration.

At the outset of the scheme, the speaker continued, the government was allowing farmers 3 cts. per yard on dirt moved in this line of work, but this was found inadequate and was advanced to 4½ cts. per yard, up to a certain amount. The government, through the association, will pay farmers up to \$150 on a dam project, \$50 for a stock-watering dugout and up to \$350 on a small irrigation project. Application forms for assistance along these lines were left in the hands of the secretary of the Board of Trade. Two local farmers already have water conservation schemes well under way. Mr. A. J. Clayton is having a stock-watering dugout constructed and Mr. Ross Walker is having a small irrigation dam built at his farm.

Reclamation stations have been established at Sullivan Lake, North and South Berry Creek and in the Tilly East area, said Mr. Vallance, and experimental sub-stations have been established or are being established at Bindloss, Castor, Cesswood, Consort, Lomond, Milk River, Whitlaw and Pincher Creek. Mr. Vallance strongly advocated the formation of a sub-station at Vulcan and also suggested the organization of an Agricultural Improvement Association in this district. This would be an organization of local farmers who could meet and discuss their farming problems. Such an association could receive assistance from a number of sources. It would have the services of the Dominion Experimental Farm Supervisor would receive a grant of \$150 to assist in organization, would receive practical advice from the Supervisor, each member would receive free trees for home shelter belts and \$3.50 per thousand for planting, and grass seed would be given free to all members. Eighteen of these associations have been formed in Saskatchewan, twelve in Manitoba and one in Alberta.

In concluding his talk, Mr. Vallance said that the services of H. N. Caven, district field representative of the Association, would be available to any farmers who contemplated a water conservation project.

Our total expenditure on public libraries in 1935 was considerably less than two per cent of what we spent for public schools, and a little more than ten per cent of what we spent for universities and colleges.—Carleton Place.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. P. B. Discher was a visitor to Edmonton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson of Cardston were Vulcan visitors last Friday.

Wm. Brown of Brown's Garage, left this week for Ontario. On his return he will drive a new car back to Vulcan.

Only eighteen shopping days before Christmas. Do your Christmas shopping in your home town. Vulcan supports you—why not support Vulcan.

The Blue Boys Legion Orchestra of Calgary will play for a dance in the Memorial hall on Dec. 16th. The dance is under the auspices of the Canadian Legion.

Mrs. Ross Moffatt and Mrs. Geo. Pettman were Claresholm visitors last Saturday. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Moffatt's mother Mrs. Scott of Claresholm.

The Vulcan Tennis Club will hold their second dance of the season on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th in the I.O. O.F. hall. Music will be played by Jack Bolton's Braemar Lodge orchestra of Calgary.

The stor of the Vulcan Supply Company has had its interior completely renovated in the past few weeks. Display tables in a bright color scheme now add greatly to the appearance of the store.

Bazaar, tea and table of home cooking, sponsored by the ladies of St. Aldhelm's Guild will be held in the basement of the Anglican church, Saturday, December 5th at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Reid Hill Women's Institute which has recently been re-organized, sponsored a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walker on Wednesday, November 25th. Bridge and whist were played. Prizes were won by Bridge: Mrs. G. McKay, Mr. T. Clifford, Mrs. Bittorf, Mr. J. Bowie. Whist: Mrs. M. Hawkins, Mr. J. Dann, Miss E. Christie, Mr. T. Companion.

Badminton Club Holds Successful Tournament

The Vulcan Badminton Club held a very successful tournament Monday evening. A large gallery of spectators clapped their approval of the brilliant rallies and closely contested sets that featured many of the matches. Miss McPherson and Kyle won the main event, while Miss Craig and McMann proved the strongest combination in the secondaries. The Social committee served a very tasty lunch.

In the first round Mrs. McMann and Roy Green won from Miss Armev and N. Jamison; Miss D. McPherson and Pederson won from Miss Broderick and Munro; Miss M. McPherson and Kyle defeated Miss Craig and McMann; Miss Hill and Nichol edged out Miss Naylor and Salvage; and Miss Marshall and Black won from R. Jamison and Elves. Mrs. Kyle and D. Greene received a bye.

Miss McPherson and Kyle defeated Mrs. Kyle and Greene, and then went on to the finals after a hard fought contest with Mrs. McMann and R. Greene. This was one of the best matches of the evening. Miss Hill and Nichol were the other finalists but they could not match the speech and placing of their opponents. The score in the final match was 15-6.

This tourney was the opening event of the season, and it revealed a degree of enthusiasm and sportsmanship that promises a successful and enjoyable year for the club. The membership now stands at 25 and is increasing rapidly. Invitation tournaments with Milo, Lomond and Champion are being planned. The Rhythm Queens, a very popular orchestra, has been engaged for the club dance on December 11.

Lodges Of I. O. O. F. Hold Annual Roll Call

Junior Dramatic Society Provide Pleasing Entertainment

The annual joint roll call of the Samaritan and Rebekah lodges was held in the Oddfellows' hall on Wednesday, November 25th. There was a very good attendance with a number of visitors from outside points.

Following the roll call, selections were played by the string quartette composed of Miss Mable McPherson, pianist; Miss Dora McPherson, cello; Dr. D. Nichol and Mr. E. Pederson, violins.

A particularly pleasing entertainment was offered by the Junior Dramatic Society. Their program consisted of dances, songs, a monologue, piano solo, readings, and a short skit. All those taking part did exceptionally well, and deserve commendable recognition. Those participating were Joyce Denbigh, Sarah Christie, Lillian Clark, Norma and Gwenyth McLaggan, and Moira Wolfe. Master John Wolfe proved a very capable "master of ceremonies."

The success of the Junior Dramatic Society is all the more remarkable when one considers that the entire programme is under the arrangement and supervision of twelve year old Joyce Denbigh.

After a delightful lunch the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

The Women's Guild of St. Aldhelm's church invite the people of Vulcan to their annual bazaar to be held in the church hall on Saturday, 5th December.

Service in church is at 7:30 on the 6th December, and the subject for the address is "The Great Unknown." Sunday school at 12:15 p.m.

"Do you think only of me?" murmured the bride. "Tell me that you think only of me!" "It's this way," explained the groom. "Now and then I have to think of the furnace, my dear."

In Tulsa, Okla., Negro George Tip-ton, held for the theft of a lawn mower, explained: "I didn't steal it. I stumbled over it and was too lazy to walk around it. So I just pushed it away."—Time.

OBITUARY

Frank Fletcher

Franklin L. Fletcher, 64 years of age, son of the late W. H. Fletcher, of Brant, died suddenly at the family residence Wednesday evening, November 18th. He was well known in the Brant district, having resided there for the past 30 years.

Surviving relatives are his wife, five daughters, and six sons: Mrs. Vance of Calgary; Mrs. Fred Killian of Trail, B.C.; Fredie and Georgia of Calgary; William of Trail, B.C.; Frank, Clark, Jack, Norma, Clifford and Stanley at home. A sister Lydia Fletcher Brown of Seattle, a brother Fred Fletcher of Brant, and four grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services which were attended by many friends from the district were held on Sunday, Nov. 22 from St. Andrew's church, Nanton. Rev. Mr. Carter officiated at the service and interment was at the Nanton cemetery. Pallbearers were G. B. McKay, F. S. Hecke, T. A. Johns, D. A. McDonald, Ira Olsen, Dan Richmond.

Mr. Fletcher was born in Union County, North Dakota, but later the family moved to Oregon where his father "Dad" Fletcher engaged in the lumbering business. He was married in 1901 to Miss Nell Laura Henderson and for a number of years was engaged in lumbering in Oregon. It was in 1906 that he moved to Brant, Alberta, and has been engaged extensively in farming since that time. He was very popular amongst friends and neighbors and will be greatly missed by family and community.

M. D. Royal Councillors Hold Special Meeting

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. W. Recor was a High River visitor recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hubbard were Calgary visitors this week.

Miss Beulah Campbell was a visitor in town over the week end.

Miss Margaret Hanson and Miss Evelyn Phillips were business visitors to Calgary on Monday.

Mr. Chas. Holder, local station agent, attended a C.P.R. district meeting held in Calgary last week.

Mrs. J. M. Hill recently spent a few days at Midnapore, the guest of her brother, Mr. Magnus Hanson.

Mr. Wallace McIntyre of Brockett, has been relieving Mr. C. Holder, C.P.R. agent here, for the past few days.

Ronnie Holmes, Jack Lebeau and Miss Eleanor King of Calgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Gil Williams of Milo were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lebeau.

The first annual dance of the Vulcan-Badminton Club will be held on Friday, Dec. 11 in the Odd Fellows' hall. At this dance the Rhythm Queens an orchestra composed entirely of girls, will make their first appearance in Vulcan.

Kirkcaldy News

Wednesday afternoon being so fair, brought people from far and near for the turkey shoot, which was put on in aid of the skating rink. A good number of turkeys were disposed of. Hot dogs and coffee were served in the school by the ladies.

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. McPherson, Mrs. Robbie and Mrs. Durston were visitors at the home of Mrs. A. J. Maisey on Thursday.

The card party and box social held on Thursday night, in aid of the skating rink, was well attended. Cards were played until 11:30 p.m. High prizes went to Miss Melchow and Mr. Iverson, while Mr. Speers and Mrs. Markert got the consolation prizes. Mr. Steve Laing auctioned off the boxes which were numerous and very attractive. After lunch, dancing continued with Mr. Bowie and Mr. Speer furnishing the music.

Mrs. Pete Patterson and Margaret, of Champion, were visitors in Kirkcaldy on Thursday.

Mrs. Steve Lang and daughter, Margaret were visitors in Lethbridge on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross left last week for Trochu where they will make their home. Mr. Ross has been operating the Hawlf Elevator here since Spring.

Women's Institute Elect 1937 Officers, Kirkcaldy

The Kirkcaldy W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Todd on Thursday, Nov. 26th. The meeting opened with the reading of the minutes, which were approved as read. The secretary's annual report was read and showed an increase in funds over last year. The election of officers followed. The following officers were elected for 1937: President, Mrs. Clements; first vice-president, Mrs. W. Todd; second vice, Mrs. H. Todd; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Hagerman. Convenors of committees, same as last year. The next meeting is to be held at Mrs. Williams' on Thursday, December 17th. Each member is to bring a plan for one meeting. Committee composed of Mrs. W. Todd, Mrs. H. Todd and Mrs. Maisey to meet following the December meeting, for the purpose of making programmes. Each member is to bring a gift for the annual Christmas pie. Mrs. H. Todd finished the quilt which is to be donated to a deserving family, for which a hearty vote of thanks was given. Following the adjournment of the meeting a dainty lunch was served.

Councillor Roebuck To Have Charge of Relief in Municipal District

A special meeting of the Councillors of the M.D. of Royal was held on Saturday, November 14th. The meeting was called to finish business that was left over from last meeting.

Reeve F. Bennett occupied the chair and the councillors present were A. Roebuck, Bateman, Gordon and Snow. A number of applications for relief were presented to the Council which brought forth considerable discussion with regards to the handling of applications. It was pointed out by Reeve Bennett that relief applications should be investigated more thoroughly.

It was moved by Reeve Bennett that Councillor A. Roebuck be appointed to look after all direct relief in the district and that he be allowed mileage. Motion carried. Councillors Snow, Roebuck and Reeve Bennett for the motion and Councillors Bateman and Gordon against.

Considerable discussion was held with regards to the distribution of feed from Brant, Ensign and Vulcan. It was moved by Councillor Gordon, and carried, that each councillor assist the elevator man in the distribution of feed to the applicants in his division. Moved by Councillor Gordon, and carried, that Jas. Ferguson be appointed returning officer for the 1937 municipal elections.

Moved by Councillor Bateman and carried, that the district hold an annual meeting for the nomination of councillors and the discussion of Municipal Affairs of Saturday, February 20th, 1937.

Moved by Councillor Bateman that the annual meeting be held in Brant. Amendment to motion moved by Councillor Roebuck that the meeting be held in Vulcan. The motion as amended carried.

Arrangements were made to have two polls in division 5, the Ensign school and the Derry school. One poll in division 4 at Brant.

Moved by Councillor Bateman and carried, that C. Iverson be allowed relief in the sum of \$6.82 for the month of October.

Moved by Councillor Bateman and carried, that the District pay V. T. Parker \$103.88, less \$50.00, which would clean up his seed grain account to the end of 1936.

Moved by Reeve Bennett that Councillor Roebuck be appointed to approve of the Feed Applications on behalf of the municipal district.

The question of discount on current taxes was discussed and the point was raised with regards to allowing discounts on payments where current taxes were being paid and applications being made to have the amount of the 1936 payment on Consolidation Arrears extended, in accordance with the amended acts allowing this. It was moved by Reeve Bennett, and carried, that the usual 5 per cent. discount be allowed on current taxes, where payment of consolidation agreement is extended.

Moved by Councillor Roebuck and carried, that the Secretary be allowed the sum of 20.00 towards extra office help for the end of the year work.

BERRYWATER U.F.W.A

The annual meeting of the Berrywater U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Winifred Oldfield on November 25th. It was decided to leave the annual business statement till the first meeting of the New Year, when the new officers will take over office. The officers for 1937 are: President, Mrs. H. Douglass; vice-president, Mrs. H. Amey; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Wilson Oldfield; directors: Mrs. W. Oldfield, Mrs. L. A. Douglass and Mrs. F. Mensinger Jr.; reporter, Mrs. Sinclair; social and rest room convenors, Mrs. F. Mensinger and Mrs. Grace Mensinger. Co-operative representative, Mrs. F. Noble. The next meeting will be held on December 15th at the home of Mrs. Grace Mensinger. At this meeting it is intended to recognize the "Sunshine Friend" of the U.F.W.A. The roll call for the meeting will be: "These will I keep—worthwhile memories of 1936." The new directors will meet at the home of Mrs. L. A. Douglass on December 7th to arrange a 1937 programme.

A Negro bishop was introducing an English churchman of high rank. "Brethren," he said, "it is not often I arise to present a white speaker in this church. But you can be sure he has a powerful message for you. An while his skin may be white, his heart is as black as any of us!"—Tit-Bits.

CLOSING OUT

AUCTION SALE

Acting under instructions from the administrator of the estates of the late Charles and E. J. Robson, the undermentioned will be sold by public auction at the East Half of Section 14, Township 17, Range 24, West 4th, being 3 Miles East and 2 Miles North of Vulcan.

Tuesday, December 8th

Commencing at 9:30 a.m.

LIVESTOCK—Team Brown Geldings, 10 years, 2800 lbs.; Brown Gelding, aged, 1600 lbs.; Bay Mare, 11 years, 1300 lbs.; Black Cow, 6 years, to freshen by Jan. 1st; Red Cow 7 years, to freshen in Feb.; Red Cow, 7 years to freshen in April; Red Cow, 5 years, to freshen in April; Red and White Cow, 4 years, been fresh ten days; 2 four-year-old Cows with young calves at foot; Well Bred Shorthorn Bull, 4 years; Calf, 5 months old; Calf, 3 months old.

CHICKENS—100 Pullets; 60 Hens, 1 year old; 33 Cockerels. All well bred Buff Orpingtons.

HARNESS—6 Sets Good Ring Trace Harness; 10 Leather Collars; 2 Sets Breaching Harness; Stock Saddle; 250 ft. of 1 1/4 in. Rope; all in one piece; 24 ft. of 7 in. Belting; Assortment of small belts, etc.

MACHINERY—No. 11, 24-run Double Disc, Power Lift; Engine Hitch Massey Harris Drill; 12 ft. Sampson Rod Weeder, new; 10 ft. Grand DeTour Wheatland Plow, good condition; J. I. Case Seeder Attachment for 10 ft. Wheatland Plow (only seeded 200 acres); 12 ft. L.H.C. Stiff Tooth Power Lift Cultivator, new; 5 ft. Ideal Giant Mower; 12 ft. Land Packer; 3 1/4 Massey Harris Truck Gear with Box Rack; 3 1/4 Adams Wagon Gear, like new; 125 bushel McCormick Grain Tank; 16-barrel Wooden Wagon Tank, galvanized lined, mounted on wagon gear; Massey Harris Steel Truck Gear with Oil Box; Massey Harris Steel Truck Gear, like new; Two 8 ft. Massey Harris Binders; 16 ft. Complete L.H.C. Swather, good; 18-barrel Stock Tank; 2 in. Gravel Box for Ford Truck; 4 Sections Lever Harrows; 3 Sections M.H. Lever Harrows; 6 Sections Diamond Harrows; Set of Steel Shoe Bob Sleighs; Jumper; Good, Heavy Double Wagon Box; Triple Wagon Box; Set of Cultivator Shovel Attachments for Seed Drill, like new; 12 ft. Elevator for Chopper; Essex 4-cylinder Car; Extension Rims for Model L Case Engine; 42 in. Bulldog Power Fanning Mill with 10 ft. Elevator; Large Size Owens Smut Machine; 1 1/2 h.p. DeLaval Gas Engine; Eaton Gas Engine; 24-run Hoe Style Drill Attachments; 20 rods New Woven Wire; Grindstone; Potato Sprayer; Gas Drums; Hog Crater; Speed Jack with two drives; Hog Trough; 40 ft. Line Shaft with Jack and Pulleys; 60 gal. Cast Iron Feed Cooker; Wooden Barrels; Steel Barrels; Forks, Shovels, Chains, etc.

FEED—1 ton of Upland Hay; 4 tons Straw in the barn; Stack of Straw, in the corral; 4 barrels Molasses; Some Oats and Chop; 30 bushels Potatoes.

HEAVY MACHINERY AND LUMBER—8-bottom 14 in. Variety Engine Plow; 36x58 Altman Taylor Separator; 30x60 Altman Taylor Gas Engine; 10x24 Cook Car, mounted on heavy truck; 10x20 Bunk Car mounted on heavy truck; 1929 Model A Ford Truck with wide grain box, in good condition; Massey Harris Combine (provided the company which holds a lien thereon will give consent); 600 ft. New Lumber; 1400 ft. Used Shipplank; 700 ft. 2x4 Used Lumber, 12 and 14 ft. long; 10x12 Shed.

BLACKSMITH OUTFIT—125 lb. Wright Anvil; Large Size Post Drill; Large Blower; Full Set of Butterfield Taps and Dies; Complete Set of Pipe Dies; Complete Socket Set; High-speed Breast Drill; 5 in. Vise; Diamond J Tire Shrinker; Full Set of Chrome Wrenches; 24 in. Stillson Wrench; Other Pipe Wrenches; Assortment of Tongs; Hammers of all kinds; Complete Line of Carpenter Tools; Large Size Screw Jack; 5 ton Ratchet; Stand-up Bumper Jack, new; 20 ft. Door Tracing with Carriers; All kinds of Bolts and Odd Iron.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS—No. 15 DeLaval Cream Separator; Lighter Day High Oven Range; Kitchen Table and 8 Chairs to match; Kitchen Cupboard; Pantry Cupboard; Flour Bin; Large Fruit Stand; Leather Covered Couch; Sideboard; Dining Table and 6 Chairs to match; Round Oak Dining Table; Cabinet Style Edison Gramophone with 100 Records; Centre Table; Flower Stand; Writing Desk; 8-day Clock; Dresser with Commode to match; 5 Iron Bedstead complete with Springs and Mattresses; Davenport; Hospital Bed with Springs and Mattress; Raymond Sewing Machine; 3 Good Trunks; 30-gal. Hot Water Tank; Dressing Table; Wall Mirror; 12x12 Inlaid Linoleum; 14x20 Inlaid Linoleum; 12x14 Inlaid Linoleum; 10x12 Linoleum; 12 yards Hall Linoleum; Stair Coverings; Card Table; 3 Rockers; Jewell 6-hole Side Range; Easy Washing Machine; 2-hole Stove Heater; 8 Hot-bed Frames, size 3x4 feet; Winnipeg Couch; 2 Tons Coal; Assortment of Pictures; 2, 3, 5 and 6 gal. Crocks; 5 gal. Crock Churn; 8-gal. Wooden Churn; Two 5 gal. Cream Cans; 12 gauge Single Barrel Shotgun; .22 gauge Rifle; 32 volt, 30 ampere Delco Lighting Plant with 16 storage Batteries; 86 qts. of Fruit; Large Assortment of Cooking Utensils; Dishes of All Kinds; Bedding.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE—I have inspected the above and found practically everything mentioned in good condition. There is a small reserve on the large engine and separator. The East Half of Section 14-17-24-4 is for private sale, see the Administrator. The days are short, so come early, as I must start on time.

Terms Cash. Lunch by Thigh Hill W. L. No Reserve

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JUST ORDINARY PEOPLE

(From Fort Erie, Ontario, Times-Review)

It is a favorite myth in some quarters that the slashing away of interest charges hurts chiefly the "big fellows" who are able to stand it. The Financial Post's published list of Alberta bond holders is therefore instructive reading. It shows that the Toronto police and firemen's pension funds have \$80,000 tied up in Alberta bonds, Hamilton's firemen's benefit has \$70,000, from which the Aberhart government's defalcations will cut off \$1400 yearly income. Aging civic pensions in Ottawa will get \$1,675 less to divide among themselves each year because Alberta which has been shown to be capable of meeting her obligations, refuses to do so. Superannuated ministers and widows of ministers will very seriously feel the pinch in as much as the United Church of Canada trusted Alberta by investing a substantial amount of its pension fund in that province's bonds.

Vancouver is caught with \$1,190,000 of Alberta bonds on which there will be a loss of \$26,722 each year. Mayor McGeer who is a bit of a monetary reformer himself may do well to take note of this. Ottawa has \$555,000 invested, and her taxpayers will lose \$13,475 yearly according to the Financial Post's estimate. Fort William's citizens are involved to the extent of \$375,000; Port Arthur's have \$222,000 invested in Alberta bonds; North Battleford, Saskatchewan, has 20 per cent. or \$99,000 of its sinking fund loaded with Alberta bonds; Kelowna, B.C. has \$18,000; Saskatoon has \$850,000. Even the citizens of Alberta's leading cities are not free from this scourge. Edmonton Public School District has more than \$170,000 of the bonds and the city itself owns \$800,000. As for Calgary, one quarter of the police and firemen's funds and \$900,000 general investments are in bonds, guaranteed securities or savings certificates of Alberta.

The myth of the "big fellows" being the ones who principally suffer from defalcations dies hard. But it is indeed only a myth. For the obvious truth is that provincial government and municipal bonds are held mainly for the benefit of the comparatively poor who are dependent for livelihood on their small allowances from pension and other funds. It is at these helpless people that the Aberhart government of Alberta is striking.

PUPILS SHOW NEW SPIRIT

It is interesting to hear an observer's opinion on the value of the new enterprise method of teaching. Such an opinion comes from Miss Helen McArthur, R.N., public health nurse for the Foothills unit. As assistant to Dr. Somerville M.O.H., she visits periodically about eighty rural schools in this area, and her comment was made with particular reference to country schools. She has found in the children a new alertness, an awakened curiosity which she believes to be attributable to the new plan of "learning to do by doing." The fact that they are launched upon school projects, in which success depends upon individual capacity to inquire and investigate, seemed to have released an eagerness which turns upon anything with which they come in contact.

It is most refreshing, she says to step into this new atmosphere prevailing in the majority of schools. Children formerly reserved and silent, have become responsive and released. They are not now content merely to listen but are ready with questions of their own. Their curiosity is awakened regarding health rules, quarantine, X ray, and all elements of Health unit work, which rarely in previous years, roused much personal interest. She believes it all links up with the new attitude and procedure in the school room.

Are You One of the Average Canadians

Portrait of Average Canadian From
Ottawa Journal via Lethbridge
Herald

Portrait of an average Canadian:

He likes coffee better than tea, Buchanan better than Bessborough. He has definite views about keeping out of debt, but doesn't mind if the Government debt runs to 15 figures.

He is proud of his "young" country, but is not sure whether Cartier took Quebec or whether Frontenac was named after a drink. He reads daily newspapers with fairly broad interest, but remembers only what he reads on the sports pages. He reads the international situation to the end of the fourth paragraph and then sighs. Anthony Eden is known to him, Hitler, Mussolini and Haile Selassie. But he's not positive whether Danzig should be given back to the Austrians or left as a British mandate. He despises wholesale murder as in Spain.

The Empire has his approval, but he doesn't want too much British ordering in his own back yard. The League of Nations, he thinks, should have more guts in dealing with Europe's struggles, but he doesn't want to see England involved in any more continental wars. He'll go over again if England calls hard enough, however.

About politics he is suspicious, preferring the sound of "statesmen" to "politician." He follows the parliamentary debates if any of the following points are involved: Religion, language, railways, taxes, war and

penitentiaries.

He'll vote for the candidate who looks most like a sensible uncle, is wary of stunts and impressed more by the way a man says a thing than what he says. He's in favor of free speech and thinks the only way to treat intruding "isms" is to give them their rein.

He looks seriously devout if someone mentions the Holy Bible, but rarely reads it, even though it has a prominent place on the bookshelf. He makes no high-toned bluff about loving art for art's sake, nor the opera. But he'll go to a good movie, and get genuine amusement.

He prides himself on having "no ear for music," and wishes to heaven he could play some musical instrument. He's really sympathetic to the unemployment problem, and would like to do his bit. He'll forcefully tell friends the way to give relief is through the organized charities, but will never turn down a man on the street who looks hungry. He's in favor of spreading the working, but doesn't know just how it can be done.

He loves dogs, hot or otherwise. He takes an automobile trip every year in the heat, and every year swears he'll never do it again. With confident authority he tells his wife there's a carburetor trouble, but he's not sure what a carburetor is. He despises pedestrians except when he is a pedestrian.

He buys a Chesterfield suite and then gets a living-room to put it in. But he has no use for parlors, although he looks to the time when he can put a billiard table in the basement and a second bathroom upstairs. He has one fair-haired girl in public school who whimpers because

she cannot stay up as late as her freckled brother who has just worn his first "longs" to college. His wife chooses between a washing machine and a fur coat and takes both, and he rarely throws away the old suit.

He works pretty hard, whether at fine desk or on a construction job; but he likes his work so much he'll talk about it at meal time instead of noticing the new tablecloth.

He has a pretty high code of morals, is not covetous. But he wonders why he hasn't got as far as Jones, whom he knows to be a fraud. He is interested in one of these hobbies: garden, golf, motoring or radio; but he can always break away for poker, fishing, football or a tramp in the woods with or without a gun. He loves to gamble, but denounces it as a vice.

Interest attaches to the Royal Stock Show at Toronto, because of the exhibits from the E.P. ranch, from Hughes Brothers and also from the Crawford Frost ranch at Nanton.

Power Man: I just went into a house and the lady there thought I was a hold-up man and threw up her hands. Gas Man: Did you explain to her who you were. Power man: I did, but she still held up her hands and said she didn't know there was any difference.—Okotoks Review.

It is possible that the first move for Recall may come from the Social Credit party in Taber in proceeding against James Hansen, M.L.A. The claim that Mr. Hansen failed in his duty as a Social Credit member, was followed by a resolution to institute recall proceedings.

INTO THE FUTURE

There are quite a number of people doubtful of the permanent value to this country of establishing munition factories. It is not difficult to realize the inadvisability of all British armament operations being concentrated in the British Isles. Canada's participation even to a limited extent would give a measure of strength to Empire defense, and would put this country more into harmony with the prevailing occupation of the world. Moreover when it was first suggested by Premier Baldwin that Canada might take this step, the reason offered was that Britain had not yet caught up in the European munition race which grows madder each year.

Industry of this nature however, seems to commit Canada to a path which many seem loath to follow. It is fairly certain that a proportion of Canada's present export products eventually emerge as war material which may some time destroy her own sons. But factories within her borders consecrated to turning out munitions for the destruction of other human beings, would be quite another step.

The question is asked—What of all the brave talk of nationalizing the munitions industry—of removing the profit from the making of arms? Much less talk now, than live, eight or ten years ago. Is public opinion being moulded to accept the inevitability of war, let profits fall where they may?

If Canadian factories were turned over to the making of munitions there would be an increase in employment—temporary or permanent. There would be big profits, a tempting prospect, and probably big wages. Whether this would raise the general wage scale of industry is another angle. If so, the consumer would, of course, pay the bill.

It would be odd if the presence of munition industries in Canada, making huge profits, would not have further influence. Other industries and individuals standing to profit in the event of actual war, remembering the rich spoils of the last war, might conceivably be envious. Such an accumulated trend of thought could build up effective propaganda based on duty, patriotism, and the sweetness of dying for one's country.

As usual, the best of the nation's stock would be insidiously herded into the arena, throwing in their lives for \$1.10 a day, while the spectators reaped the profits. It would not be hardened criminals who are already a cost to the country who would be drafted, nor munition makers, nor politicians. It would be the young lads upon whom all that is constructive in the future of the human race depends. There is not one indication that any of the appalling injustices of other wars would be removed.

Somewhere along the road of life—probably sixteen years ago—the whole world missed an opportunity to curb those to whom wars are desirable and necessary. It is on this elder generation that the burden of supreme ineptitude and stupidity must be placed. Every day the issues and outlook grow more confused to the average person. Every day it is more difficult to see clearly what part Canada must play in preparing for the world slaughter—or perchance, in averting it.

Canadian Public Libraries

Canadians are justly proud of their educational institutions. In few countries of the world do children receive more schooling, and in few countries is as high a proportion of the population able to read and write. But a recent investigation raises the question whether Canadians exercise their reading ability as much as they might be expected to do. Their use of public libraries does not make it seem so.

The average Canadian, counting men, women and children, borrows two books from a public library in a year; the average person in the United States borrows nearly twice as many. Ontario people are the only ones in Canada using the public library so much as the United States people do on the whole. And in California each person reads more than twice as many public library books as in Ontario.

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Weekly Sermonette

One of a series of sermonettes on the sayings of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

"Knowest thou not that I have power to crucify thee, and have power to release thee? Thou couldst have no power to act at all against me, except it were given thee from above."—John XIX-10, 11.

Subject—"Power Belongs to God"

Authority is one of the entrusted talents: Men talk very boastfully of their power, forgetting that it is delegated power which they hold, and that they must wield it for God, and must give an account to Him for the use of it. No man's power belongs to himself to do with as he pleases; it is given him from God, the source of power. This is true of the authority of parents and teachers, of the power possessed by civil magistrates, and of all power whatsoever.

Men are eager to obtain offices in the city or nation and they do not always realize the responsibility which is attached to such positions. Power belongs to God, and must be used for God, or its misuse will bring sore penalty; it is a Talent which is given to us to be accounted for, and no treason is worse than malfeasance in the employing of the power. This is true all the way from the power of the child on the playground to the power of the President of the nation or the King on his throne. "Thou couldst have no power—except it were given thee from above."

There is a comforting thought suggested by the words in this sentence "Thou couldst have no power against me." Christ in this world was under the protection of his Father, and on one on earth could lift a finger against Him but by divine permission. What was true of Him, the Son of God, is true of each one of the Sons of God in all their earthly life. Each believer, the humblest, the weakest, is kept in this world as the apple of God's eye. No one can touch one of God's little ones save by divine permission. This shows how safe we are, amid all the world's dangers and enemies, while we trust ourselves in our Father's keeping.

If Mussolini would have Britain relinquish or even reduce Mediterranean defense, he is destroying, not recognizing, "reciprocal interests." And if his ambition is to add to his own, already considered a menace to a free waterway, he is encouraging, not diminishing, competition for control.—Toronto Globe.

Pertinent Topics

(By H. C.)

(Continued from Front Page)

peace, and we are prepared to agree that it at least would help toward that end. The three European countries that keep Peace on the tenthooks are Italy, Russia and Germany and in none of these is there a free press. If Italian newspapers were allowed to make fun of Mussolini and publish world news without official direction, Mussolini would not be the menace he is, and the same observation applies to Stalin and Hitler. If the publisher whom Napoleon killed had killed Napoleon it would have saved countless lives, and he had as much right to kill Napoleon as Napoleon had to kill him. Dictators cannot afford to tolerate a free press and cannot afford to give others the liberty they have—the liberty to kill, imprison or exile their enemies.

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Sir Oswald Mosely, leader of the British Fascists, declaims loudly against the laws that keep him from creating disturbances in Jewish quarters and that would prohibit his wearing a black shirt. He declares against them as being restrictions upon his liberty, yet if he should succeed in obtaining power he would have to do the things he declaims against and a great many more things that are not necessary in a constitutional form of government. A usurper always has to do such things, because if he can usurp authority so can anyone else. Self-preservation compels him to become a despot. All usurpers began by declaiming for Liberty and ended by destroying it.

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News from Ottawa indicates that the government will or will not introduce a defence policy at the next session. Both stories have been sent out from London or from Ottawa. Some think they are trial balloons sent up to show which way the wind is blowing. This has often been done to ascertain the public "reaction" if Lord Tweedsmuir will pardon the use of this word which he abominates. The guessing is even. At one time, no one would guess an ambitious defence programme for that would irk Quebec but since the last elections that province does not bulk so largely in the government mind, and there was a rather favorable reaction elsewhere to a London despatch that foreshadowed such a programme.

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President Roosevelt in pursuance of his good neighbor policy has intimated that he will look after Canada's defence, but there are many Canadians who, while grateful to him, are not willing to be placed in that position and there must also be citizens of the United States who would not feel like assisting a neighbor, even a good neighbor like Canada, if we did nothing to assist ourselves. There are many, not all in Quebec, who look with disapproval on anything that looks like militarism. They abhor the thing itself as well as the expense. That we should sponge on some other country for protection does not touch their pride. These have to be reckoned with if the government would know how far it can count on public support for a policy of defence.

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It is a delicate subject and has given other governments many uneasy quarter hours. Laurier had to make a choice at the time of the Boer War. He permitted Canadian troops to be organized, equipped and sent to the front C.O.D. Bourassa and Lavergne turned against him and won a Quebec bye-election in consequence. They disputed his statement which is axiomatic that when the Empire is at war Canada is at war. It is axiomatic because the enemy has as much to say about it as Canada has. If the Empire was at war with Russia, or Japan or the United States by what avail would it be to say that Canada is not at war? But Laurier had to fight his own patriots on this issue. In 1912 he re-established himself by opposing the Borden government's proposal to build several capital ships for naval defence.

Trelle Regains World Wheat Title

Herman Trelle of Wembley regained the world wheat crown at the International Show in Chicago. He also won the sixteen title in eight years of the world's oats title.

Ten years that Canada has won the wheat title. Trelle's wheat was Reward, weighing 66.3 pounds to the bushel. He won his first grand championship for wheat in 1926, repeating in 1930, 1931 and 1932. He has also won sixteen championships in other classes in previous years.

Herman Trelle is 41 years of age, was born in Idaho and moved to Alberta in 1900. Educated in Edmonton, he decided to become a farmer and moved to the Peace River. His 160 acre homestead extended to 700 acres.

Whose Savings Will be Next?

The money the people of this Province borrowed was used to provide them the houses, barns, and lands which now give them shelter and in which they do business. They have used them, and they continue to do so. Should they not recognize those who made it possible for them to have those things? Is it just that those who have saved, and who have been thrifty, to provide you with the facilities you possess should now be deprived of their savings?

Let those who look upon the lending companies as "big business" enquire whose money they have enjoyed. They will learn, as we shall tell them in one of the statements to follow.

If the citizens of Alberta pass by lightly the injustice of this Act, what is to prevent their own savings, their homes, their business, their farms and other possessions being taken away from them? Can they feel safe in the enjoyment of their savings? Keep in mind that the confiscation of the property of others is only the first step leading to the confiscation of yours.

You have been told that our Government does not intend to confiscate. The Reduction and Settlement of Debts Act would confiscate the savings of hundreds of thousands of people. Whose savings will be taken next?

This statement is one of a series written by The Mortgage Loans Association of the Province of Alberta. The Association is composed of 34 member companies. It represents hundreds of thousands of small investments by typical Canadians. Its loans to citizens of Alberta amount to some forty-five million dollars.

(The third statement in this series will be published in two weeks)

Breaking Faith With the People

Adjustment Rather Than Repudiation
Best Course Says Life Insurance Article

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Alberta has its share of these dollars—has millions of them invested in bonds and mortgages. It has more millions invested by trust, mortgage, loan and banking institutions, whose funds also represent the savings of millions of individual Canadians.

On behalf of its policyholders, as on behalf of other institutions and organizations whose investments represent the hard-earned savings of thrifty citizens, life insurance expects that—where there is the ability to pay—the terms upon which Alberta bonds were sold, and Alberta mortgages accepted, shall be observed.

Where the borrower is willing but unable to pay, a policy of adjustment and not of repudiation, should prevail. Such adjustments have been made again and again during recent years, through individual negotiations, and also through the Debt Adjustment Board and the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act.

But if Alberta persists in legislation that cancels public and private debts, regardless of the debtors' ability to pay, she will break faith with the thrifty, hard-working, conscientious citizens of her own and other provinces who are the backbone of the Dominion.

J. C. Loree Dies Nanton Old Timer

Funeral services were held at Nanton United Church on Sunday for James Caspell Loree, who died at his home after a long illness.

Deceased was born near Guelph, Ont. He came west in 1878, travelling by railway as far as Grand Forks, N. D. From there, the journey to his homestead at Roland, Man., had to be made by wagon.

During the first years of his farming, the grain had to be hauled 60 miles to market at Emerson, Man., He came to Nanton in 1904.

Besides his widow, he is survived by one son, D. L. Loree, of Nanton; six daughters, Annie Loree and Mrs. W. C. Scott of Nanton; Mrs. Geo. Kinney of Bamfield, B.C.; Mrs. C. B. Finkheimer of Craigmyle, Alta.; Mrs. E. Horwood and Mrs. R. L. Crook, of China.

The Kelly Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Great Madhouse Of the Universe

Some officials of Canada and the United States excitedly worked to prevent some wild geese from going over Niagara Falls, while over in Europe other people spent the same hours trying to shoot the life out of each other.

A man is in danger in one place and a thousand men risk their lives to save him. This may, and does, occur in any country. And yet in any country once the lust of war is let loose, a thousand men will slay a thousand persons, men, women and children.

There is an outbreak of infantile paralysis in any community and all the scientific knowledge of a nation is assembled to rescue fated children but let there be an outbreak of war in any country and all the scientific knowledge available will be rushed in to aid in the destruction of human life.

It may be said of man that he saves or he slays on impulse. Is it any wonder that it has been said that this earth of ours is the madhouse of the universe?—Toronto Star.

A naturalist says the crow is a typical English bird. Punch's comment is "British is the crow."

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Strong protest against reduction of the per diem grant to hospitals by the provincial government was voiced in a resolution passed by the Alberta Hospitals Association.

A further resolution reaffirmed the stand taken last year asking the government to make it possible for payment for medical care of victims of automobile accidents to be assured out of any insurance paid and also that a portion of the revenue from drivers' licenses be ear-marked for this purpose.

Greater concessions from the board of public utilities commissioners in the matter of price of milk for hospitals were sought in another resolution.

That the government assume the cost of the tuberculosis patients in general hospitals awaiting admission of sanitariums from the date upon which application for admission to the sanitarium was made, was asked in another motion.

The Dominion government was requested to remove the tax on X-ray equipment from the United States when the empire trade agreement was under consideration next year.

Another resolution urged that wherever possible hospitals should use pasteurized milk.

The World of Wheat

(By H. G. L. Strange)

Wheat is probably the oldest of the world's crops. A large quantity of it is consumed than of any other food-stuff with the single exception of potatoes. In prehistoric times wheat was cultivated throughout Europe and was one of the most valuable cereals of ancient Persia, Greece and Egypt.

It has always been prized for the high quality bread which it produces—whenever it is possible people turn from foods made from rye, barley and oats to bread made from wheat.

It is grown in almost every country in the world, the only parts from which it is absent being the hot, low-lying regions of the tropics; Siam, however, being the one notable large country where no wheat is produced.

Its cultivation is simple and it is adapted to more varying soils and climatic conditions than any other food plant known.

It has ripened as far north as Skibotten in Norway and is cultivated around Archangel on the White Sea and in Verkhoyansk in Siberia within the Arctic circle. It is well cultivated on the equator in Ecuador and Colombia.

Wheat is also grown at different altitudes varying from sea level to a height of 15,000 feet in Tibet.

Prices have tended to be raised recently by the following Demand for Canadian wheat increasing; subsoil moisture very deficient in Western Canada and spring wheat area U.S.A. and in parts winter wheat belt; U. S. purchases large quantities Argentina corn; rains delay planting in parts of Europe; production of dried beans in Danube Basin less than normal.

These factors have tended to push prices down: Wheat surplus in Danubian countries estimated one hundred million (all time record); large quantity wheat afloat to world's markets; Estonian production potatoes increasing; Argentina shipping surprisingly large quantities of rye.

Under existing relations all Mediterranean countries are assured free access to its trade routes. The very basis of British policy is that it shall be an open seaway for Empire and international traffic, and it is to see that it is that she has fortified her possessions along the way. No agreement she could make could add anything to Italian rights without jeopardizing this policy.

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Light Xmas Cake**From Home Service Department
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One cup butter; 2 cups fruit sugar; 6 eggs, beaten separately; 2 1/2 cups flour; 4 tsp. baking powder; 1 tin crushed pineapple; 2 lbs. sultanas, bleached; 1 lb. shredded coconut; 1/2 lb. citron peel; 1/2 lb. almonds; 1/2 lb. cherries; 1 tsp. vanilla; 1 tsp. almond extract; 1/2 cup brandy, or fruit juice.

Cream butter and sugar together thoroughly. Add eggs and beat well. Dredge fruit and nuts with 1 cup of the flour, and pour brandy over them. Sift flour and baking powder together and add to first mixture alternately with the crushed pineapple. Add vanilla and almond extract. Lastly, add the dredged fruit and nuts. Bake in an oiled paper-lined pan at 270 degrees F. for two hours and at 300 degrees F. for half an hour.

Weights approximately 8 lbs.

**England Turning
To Milk Drinking**

(From the High River Times)

At the monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. held at the home of Mrs. Tompkins, the hostess gave interesting observations of changes and developments over in England. Amongst these she commented on the great encouragement to the dairy world by the increased use of milk. Milk bars have risen like mushrooms, with more than 450 already operating through the country. A syndicate has been formed to open 500 in and around London. Already sixty bars flourishing in London; one in Leicester Square disposes of 7000 milk shakes daily, and half a dozen of these bars are going strong in and around Fleet Street, the centre of London's newspaper world. An advisory department for Milk Bars has been created in connection with the Milk Marketing Board. Mrs. Walter Elliot, wife of the British Minister of Agriculture has opened Edinburgh's first drink counter of this nature.

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More than fifty non-alcoholic drinks with milk as the main constituent can be secured at these stands, and there seems no end to the ingenuity in devising new drinks based on milk.

The magazine, "Judge," offers the six stages of life of a movie fan as follows: (1) Donald Duck; (2) Tom Mix; (3) Marlene Dietrich; (4) Mae West; (5) George Arliss; (6) Shirley Temple. Only comment we have to make is that there is a further stage: (7) Donald Duck.

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24-piece Sets, reg. \$11.50, special **\$8.45**40-piece sets, reg. \$17, special **\$12.90****Silverware Makes a Real Gift****3-piece Tea Sets**Heavily silver-plated on white metal. Teapot, sugar and cream. Original price \$11.00. Special at **\$7.90****7-piece Cocktail Set**Heavily silver-plated with bright finish. Reg. \$25.50, this will go with a bang at **\$19.45****Chiming Clocks**Chiming hours, halves and quarters on tuned rods. Walnut cases in the new shapes. Reg. \$31.00. Special, **\$23.85****8-day Clocks**Striking hours and half-hours on deep-toned gongs. Lovely walnut cases. Reg. \$16.50. Special **\$11.95****Stainless Carving Sets**English made sets with stainless steel knives. Reg. \$3.50 set. Special at **\$2.55****China Dial****Kitchen Clocks**8-day movements, guaranteed good time-keepers. Reg. \$4.00. Special at **\$3.00****Cut Glass Sherbets**Engraved with a beautiful floral design. Regular per six \$1.75. Special at **\$1.24****A Nice Present!****32-piece Dinnerware Set**
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